



# GENERAL ASSEMBLY

## COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

### 2006 REGULAR SESSION

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HOUSE BILL NO. 387

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The following bill was reported to the Senate from the House and ordered to be printed.

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AN ACT relating to occupational safety and health standards.

***Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky:***

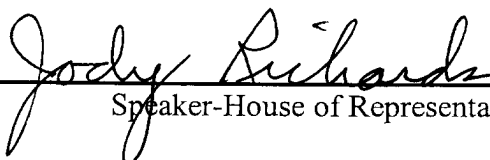
1 Section 1. KRS 338.051 is amended to read as follows:

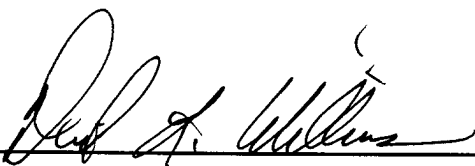
- 2 (1) There is hereby established the Kentucky Occupational Safety and Health Standards  
3 Board consisting of the commissioner and twelve (12) members equally  
4 representing industry, labor, agriculture and the safety and health profession. The  
5 members shall be appointed by the Governor for terms of three (3) years and until  
6 their successors are appointed and qualified, from lists of nominees submitted by  
7 bona fide associations representative of industry, labor, agriculture and the safety  
8 and health profession. Members shall receive twenty-five dollars (\$25) per day for  
9 attending each meeting and shall be reimbursed for actual expenses incurred in  
10 carrying out their duties. The commissioner shall act as chairman of the board. No  
11 member of the board may have a concurrent term on the review commission.
- 12 (2) The board shall hold annual~~semiannual~~ meetings and additional meetings as  
13 needed. A majority of the board constitutes a quorum for the transaction of  
14 business.
- 15 (3) The board shall adopt and promulgate occupational safety and health rules,  
16 regulations, and standards, except that the chairman of the board may adopt  
17 established federal standards without board approval if necessary to meet federal  
18 time requirements. The board shall~~and~~ secure all expertise, testimony, and  
19 evidence necessary to accomplish the purposes of this chapter.

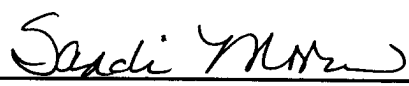
20 (4) The board shall be attached to the Department of Labor for administrative purposes.

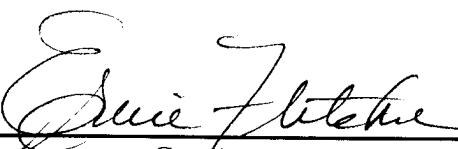
21 Section 2. KRS 338.061 is amended to read as follows:

- 22 (1) Occupational safety and health standards may be adopted, modified, or repealed by  
23 the board as it shall deem necessary.
- 24 (2) Established federal standards and national consensus standards may be adopted~~by~~  
25 ~~the board~~ by reference.

  
Speaker-House of Representatives

  
President of the Senate

Attest:   
~~Asst~~ Chief Clerk of House of Representatives

Approved   
Governor

Date 